STATE OF TEXAS)
)
COUNTY OF DALLAS)

VERIFICATION

Kim Nations, being duly sworn, states on oath that she is Director -Witness/Negotiations for Southwestern Bell Telephone, L.P. d/b/a Southwestern Bell Telephone Company/Illinois Bell Telephone Company Negotiations and Interconnection, and that the facts stated in the foregoing Joint Petition for Approval of Negotiated Agreement and Statement in Support of Joint Petition for Approval are true and correct to the best of her knowledge, information and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this ______ day of ______ April



DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	,
CITY OF WASHINGTON	,

VERIFICATION

Mary C. Albert, being first duly sworn, states on oath that she is Vice President for Allegiance Telecom of Illinois, Inc. and that the facts stated in the foregoing Joint Petition for Approval of Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement and Statement in Support are true and correct to the best of her knowledge, information and belief.

Mary C. Albert

Subscribed and sworn

to before me this

- Company

Notary Public

Gladys G. Leeger Notary Public, District of Columbia My Commission Expires February 14, 2005